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singing along to the beat of Clifford, everybody's favorite Big Red Dog.



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CLIFFORD THE BIG RED DOG (T.V. Theme Song)

Clifford needed Emily So she chose him for her own. And her love made Clifford grow so big That the Howard's had to leave their home He's the greatest dog ever, I really think so Clifford's so loyal, he's there when you call I love Clifford, the Big Red Dog!



So they packed up the family car And the Howard's left the city They moved to Birdwell Island, there were many friends There to greet Clifford & Emily Clifford's so much fun, he's a friend to us all I love Clifford, the Big Red Dog!

A GIRL AND HER DOG

A girl and her dog Open their eves Look at each other Look out the window See the sun rise

A girl and her dog Head for the street Out of the front door Into their morning On all their six feet

(Chorus) Smile smile smile Runnin' a mile Everyone sees 'em Wish they could be havin' fun like

A girl and her dog They're a parade

A mad matinee hey (Repeat Chorus)

And every corner

Every store window

Is their own arcade

A dog and his girl

Dance through the day

Jumping on sand dunes

Jumping in puddles

A girl and her dog Floating downstream On towards the morning On towards tomorrow Another daydream

A girl and her dog

HAVING A FRIEND LIKE YOU

Everyday is like summer and spring Every song is a song I can sing I've never felt better. I never feel blue Having a friend like you

Someone to talk to and someone to care Someone to walk with who'll always be there There's nothing like making a memory or two Having a friend like you.

A friend like you is all I need A friend like you is a friend, indeed A friend like you is hard to find Thank you for being mine

Life's an adventure, exploring the land 7. Feel like the world is at our command

There's nothing like being one out of two Having a friend like you.

Having a buddy and being one too. Having a friend like you.

Having a friend like you. (x2) A friend like you. A friend like you.

DOG HOUSE PARTY

Clifford told Cleo Cleo told T-Bone T-Bone told Mac And Mac began to shout it Pretty soon everybody heard about it

(Chorus) There's a DOG HOUSE PARTY Dog house party all right There's a DOG HOUSE PARTY At Clifford's house tonight

Digging up bones Playin' in the park and Chasing lots of butterflies Everybody's barkin'

Rolling on the grass Runnin' thru the Island Divin' in the seaweed Everybody's smilin'

(Repeat Chorus)

Dancing ear to ear Nose to nose Tail to tail

Toes to toes

Squeakin' with their toys Makin' lots of noise If it's kibble you've been itchin' for Head right through the kitchen door

(Repeat Chorus)

FIRST PRIZE IN FRIENDSHIP

Clifford wins The FIRST PRIZE IN FRIENDSHIP In friendship the very first prize He's the very very best at being best of friends I bet his trophy's gonna be king size!

When Clifford won The FIRST PRIZE IN FRIENDSHIP He couldn't believe his eves All his friends began to cheer and they jumped up and down When Clifford went to get his prize

Now when they gave a prize for being fluffy Cleo won the blue ribbon And Mac and T-Bone all said "Hooray!" When they saw the prize that Clifford was given

The FIRST PRIZE IN FRIENDSHIP He shared it with the rest of the guys They said, "That just goes to show Clifford's the best we know!" For all the friendly things you do The FIRST PRIZE IN FRIENDSHIP'S for you!

Feared a fearsome fear Is Clifford bigger than a goat? ON THE SLOOP DE LOOP DE LOOP Climb a mountain, sail the sea Yeah he's bigger than a goat Ride with the windows down (Chorus) (Repeat Chorus) He's bigger than a goat Write a poem or a symphony On the Sloop de Loop And he's bigger than a boat Or be a circus clown Everyone aboard just held De Loop de Loop He's bigger than a duck, he's bigger than a Tightly to the rail De Loop de Loop You are unique. There's no one like you truck We did not want to visit You shine as bright as any star The belly of that whale We took Clifford sailing He's a big big red dog You are yourself that's why I like you On the Sloop de Loop Yip Yip A big big red dog So be happy being who you are Then... the whale stopped – and clearly We took Clifford sailing From deep inside its throat O'er the deep and briny soup Is Clifford bigger than a plane? Fight a dragon just for fun I heard it say, I promise, Yeah he's bigger than a plane Be a secret spy And courteously quote: He stood higher than the masthead He's bigger than a plane Paint a portrait of someone His nose upon the bow And he's bigger than a train You can even fly "That is the biggest red canine - or canine of His tail draped the portside He's bigger than a goat and bigger than a boat any color - I say, absolutely the largest dog of The first mate whispered, "Wow..." He's bigger than a duck, he's bigger than a truck If you help somebody else somewhere along any greater-than-average size I've ever seen He's a big big big red dog the way afloat!" (Repeat Chorus) You're gonna make a friend or two Yip yip a big big red dog And the two of you can say The killer whale smiled Out upon the water, Is Clifford bigger than a goose? (As killer whales should) The wind a sailor's song, Yeah he's bigger than a goose We're gonna dance like there's no one looking And swam away while shouting, I knew this was the kind of day He's bigger than a goose Sing so they hear us near and far "Really big is really good!" When nothing could go wrong Making the most out of every moment And bigger than a moose He's bigger than a plane And be happy being who we are And that's just how it happened And then, there in the distance He's bigger than a train It's the honest inside scoop There dove a fishy tail He's bigger than a goat and bigger than a boat And be happy being who we are. When we took Clifford sailing A tuna? Trout? A barracuda? He's bigger than a duck, he's bigger than a truck On the Sloop de Loop Oh no! A killer whale! BIG BIG BIG RED DOG He's a big big big red dog On the Sloop de Loop Yip vip a big big red dog (Repeat Chorus) Is Clifford bigger than a duck? HAPPY BEING WHO YOU ARE Yeah he's bigger than a duck Is Clifford bigger than a mouse? I saw him and he saw me He's bigger than a duck You gotta dance like there's no one looking Yeah he's bigger than a mouse He set a rapid course And he's bigger than a truck Sing so they hear you near and far He's bigger than a mouse Straight for our Sloop de Loop de Loop He's a big big big big big big Making the most of every moment He's bigger than a house Could she stand the force?! Big big big red dog And be happy being who you are He's bigger than a goose Yip yip! And bigger than a moose Closer, closer, closer still You gotta dance like there's no one looking He's bigger than a plane The killer whale did near (Chorus) Making the most out of every moment He's bigger than a train The captain, crew and passengers BIG BIG DOG (x4) And be happy being who you are He's bigger than a goat and bigger than a boat He's bigger than a duck, he's bigger than a truck He's a big big big red dog Yip yip a big big big red dog

Is Clifford bigger than a snail?
Of course he's bigger than a snail
He's bigger than a snail
And bigger than a whale!
He's bigger than a mouse
He's bigger than a house
He's bigger than a goose
And bigger than a moose

He's bigger than a plane He's bigger than a train He's bigger than a goat and bigger than a boat

He's bigger than a duck, he's bigger than a truck He's a big big big red dog Yip yip a big big big red dog

Is Clifford bigger than a chair?
Yeah he's bigger than a chair
He's bigger than a chair
And he's bigger than a bear
And he's bigger than a snail
And he's bigger than a whale!
He's bigger than a mouse
He's bigger than a house
He's bigger than a goose
And bigger than a moose
He's bigger than a plane
He's bigger than a bigger than a boat
He's bigger than a goat and bigger than a boat
He's bigger than a duck, he's bigger than a truck

He's a big big red dog

Yip yip a big big red dog

Wait a minute... Are you saying that he's bigger than A grape and a ape and a snail and a whale? And a plum and a drum? And a popsicle and a bicycle?

Yip Yip Yip!!!!

Are you saying he's bigger than A mouse and a house and goose and a moose? And a chair and a bear and a seal and a wheel?

NOW YOU'RE GETTING IT!

Is Clifford bigger than the ocean? Well he's not as big as the ocean He's really gigantic But not like the Pacific or Atlantic...

But he's bigger than a chair And he's bigger than a bear And he's bigger than a snail And he's bigger than a whale! He's bigger than a mouse He's bigger than a goose And bigger than a plane He's bigger than a plane He's bigger than a goat and bigger than a boat He's bigger than a duck he's bigger than a truck He's a big big big red dog Yip yip a big big big red dog

WE THREE

We three - we got it all together and We three know how to have fun We three - in any kind of weather We three are all for one T- Bone knows how to be a buddy and I love to run and explore, and when... We three get into something muddy We know what friends are for.

Remember when Clifford brought a policeman back while we were playing fetch? And remember that time my sandcastle fell? Nobody else knows better Nobody else was wetter.

We three. We're always up to something and three heads are better than two Join us. Everyone's invited 'cause We wanna be friends with you

Remember my fluffiest dog award? And T-Bone's hide and seek? And the time that Clifford couldn't fall asleep? But we all got through it. Sometimes I wonder how we do it.

We three. Always up to something and Three heads are better than two Join us. Everyone's invited 'cause We wanna be friends with you We three! We three!!!

BIRDWELL ISLAND

In the middle of the big blue water Underneath the big blue sky Out there in the wild green yonder Shines Birdwell Island

Everybody knows everybody Everybody knows we are friends In our home in the wild green yonder On Birdwell Island And my heart goes sailing And you're sailing beside me Warm as song on a summer night And the soft wind whispers Tells us we're home now Safe as snow in December skies

Hey let's go out in the big bright morning Say hello to everyone we see Tell'em all that we're glad to know them On Birdwell Island

Friendship blooms Through the year Always now Always here on Birdwell Island

And my heart is laughing
And you're laughing beside me
Falling into each other's dreams
And the day is shining
On a beach full of diamonds
This is where we're supposed to be

In the middle of the big blue water Underneath the big blue sky Here we'll stay in the wild green yonde On Birdwell Island On Birdwell Island



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WHAT DOGS LIKE

Dogs like puddles Dogs like puddles Dogs like puddles But do puddles care for dogs?

Dogs like chewing stuff Dogs like chewing stuff Dogs like chewing stuff But does stuff like getting chewed?

Digging digging digging Bury bury bury If I were a doggie bone I wouldn't like that, uh-uh I wouldn't like that very

Dogs like chasing anything Dogs like chasing anything Dogs like chasing So if y'don't like getting chased don't move!

Dogs like getting scratched Dogs like getting scratched Dogs like getting scratched Then again who doesn't?

Splash and chew and dig and chase Now scratch my belly, ears and face Oh veah! I'm vour new best friend Now's the time for the song to end

But that doesn't mean y'have t'stop scratchin'!

Aaahh...

CLIFFORD LIKES ME

It's not easy being beautiful Fancy and so fluffy Being humble as I am It really is a toughy

But whether I am perfect Or just extraordinaire I have a friend who knows I'm more than Beauty, brains and purple hair

(Chorus) Clifford likes me (yeah yeah) Clifford likes me (yeah yeah) Well, the big dog likes me For who I am

I just don't like my toys getting messed And chewed and soft and soggy Especially when their sogginess Comes from another doggy

But whether I've got all my toys Or just a stick I found I have a friend who says he's there Toys or stick, he'll stick around

(Repeat Chorus)

And who I am at the moment is a dog desperately in need of a pedicure. Four pedicures. Match the hair color if you don't mind...

Sometimes I just like to sleep 'Till very very late Not that I need my beauty sleep It's just -- it feels so great

A wreck from counting sheep There's someone who reminds me that Beauty's only dog-skin deep (Repeat Chorus)

But when I am exhausted

And I'm everything I pretend to be. Darlin' you know I am.

CLIFFORD

Have you ever seen a dog like Clifford the big red dog. He's the biggest dog that there ever was, Clifford the big red dog But he's gentle and kind and he loves to play Just be careful that you don't get in the way of Clifford the big red dog.

Emily Elizabeth is Clifford's little girl And he loves her more than anything in the whole wide world And Emily takes such good care of him And she loves him so much cause her best friend is Clifford the big red dog.

Clifford has some doggy pals who also love to play with him And they like to hang out at the park or spend the day at the ocean they go down to the beach and jump and run And play in the waves, it's so much fun with Clifford the big red dog

Sometimes it's hard to be so large And he's barkin' and scratchin' and diggin' in the yard Sometimes he gets into a little bit of trouble But it's alright because he's so loveable

like Clifford the big red dog. He's the biggest dog that there ever was, Clifford the big red dog Have you ever seen a dog like Clifford the big red dog. He's the biggest dog that there ever was, Clifford the big red dog

ONCE UPON A LULLABY

Have you ever seen a dog

Once upon a lullaby Here's me Dreaming a dream of you

Once upon a sleepytime Here's vou Dreaming of me too

Here's our lullaby Straight to you from my heart It's gonna be alright Goodnight Goodnight

Once upon a lullaby (Whistle) Once upon a sleepytime (Whistle)

Here's our lullaby One sweet dream Shared by two It's gonna be alright Sleep tight Sleep tight

Lull a once upon a by Here me Dreaming I of you

By a lull a once upon Are we A dreaming two Drift away on blue Love me love you too Ever For Me And You

Good... night... Clifford

Goodnight...

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